

SEND TROOPS TO TWO FRONTS

Plan Under Advisement Is to Help Russia with Military

EXPECT MILLION MEN IN TRAINING

Government's Plan Said to Be to Send Big Force Across the Ocean

Washington, D. C., April 21.—With conference between the administration and the British and French commissions about to begin, it is possible to define clearly what will be the scope and most important work of the conference.

It is hardly possible to exaggerate either their political or military importance and it is a foregone conclusion they will result in such a consolidation of purposes and clarification of plans as to make Germany's defeat in this war a practical certainty.

These are to be the chief features of the conference:

President Wilson, relying on the backing of Congress and the people, will assure the envoys that the United States will stay in the war to the end.

The envoys will be advised that the United States is going to send troops to Europe, to send them in large numbers, and, what is more, and what hitherto has been little spoken of, to send them to the east front as well as to the west. In other words, direct military aid will be given to Russia.

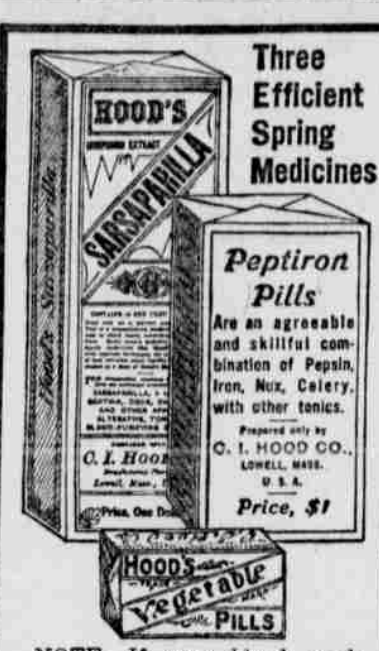
This government will be advised that, if it is agreeable to American officers, some of the most skilled foreign officers available, who have been veteranized in action, will be sent here, not to command troops, but to advise with respect to the training of the new army with a view to meeting the demands of the peculiar conditions of the European war, especially trench war.

The president will make it clear that Republican America will appeal to Republican Russia, will give it financial and military aid, and will, if agreeable, send a commission there to give such counsel and aid as is feasible.

Naval officers will map out more fully than hitherto plans of co-operation.

Plans for distribution of the American loan to the allies will be worked out.

If the foreign commissions have any question as to the purpose of this government to get into the war in earnest doubts will be dispelled in the conference. No doubt some assurances will be sent, and it is possible American forces will go abroad before they are completely trained to get the finishing kile.



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touches of their training "in sound of the guns." This, however, is a detail.

The chief fact in a military way is that the United States will be able to assure the allies that within a few months it will have an army of a million men under training, and not long after that still more, thus affording an inexhaustible reserve of manpower for the gigantic task of defeating the common enemy of democratic government and free institutions, the government of Prussianized Germany.

In addition to those members of the British commission previously announced and who were designated as guests of the nation, Foreign Minister Balfour will be accompanied by the following officials:

War office—Col. Goodwin, Col. Langhorne, Major L. W. D. Rees, V. C., Royal Flying corps; Major C. E. Dansey.

Blockade department exports—Lord Eustace Percy and A. A. Paton of the foreign office, F. P. Robinson of the board of trade, S. McKenna of the war trade intelligence department, M. E. Peterson of the foreign trade department, foreign office.

Wheat commission—A. A. Anderson, chairman, Mr. Vigor.

Munitions—W. T. Layton, director of requirements and statistics branch, secretary of the ministry of munitions, C. T. Phillips, American and transport department, ministry of munitions, Captain Leming, Mr. Amos.

Ordnance and lines of communication—Colonel Heron.

Supplies and transports—Major Pendergast.

TO TAKE UP ONLY WAR PROGRAM

House Democratic Caucus Decides on Such Action

WILL ATTEND TO WILSON'S PROPOSALS

Nation - Wide Prohibition Legislation Was Finally Shelved

Washington, D. C., April 21.—No legislation will be acted on by the House during the present session except such as may be recommended by President Wilson in his war program.

An agreement to this effect was reached at a caucus of House Democrats, but only after it had reconsidered its previous action in adopting a resolution to take up nation-wide prohibition legislation. Several New York City members booted the conference after adoption of the prohibition resolution, but harmony was restored by reconsideration.

The caucus also voted down a proposal to consider a river and harbor bill at the present extra session. Members said it would be "political suicide" to report such a measure, because it might be made the target of "pork" charges during the national crisis.

Whether a waterways measure or prohibition will be considered depends on President Wilson's recommendations. The president already has indicated his willingness to approve a waterways measure under certain restrictions.

He has especially warned against any "political" provisions or failure to provide for harbor defensive work as a part of the war legislation.

Early action on the section of the espionage bill imposing a press censorship and other restrictions upon publication of military affairs was forecast upon the assembling of the Senate yesterday to resume discussion of the measure. A committee amendment to the censorship clause was adopted prohibiting any regulation limiting discussion, comment or criticism of the acts and policies of the government or its representatives.

While the Senate debated its measure, Democratic members of the House judiciary committee were putting the final touches on its espionage bill agreed upon by the committee last year. It is similar to the Senate bill, but many of the objectionable features were eliminated.

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AMBASSADOR ELKUS HAS TYPHOID FEVER

United States Representative to Turkey Declared in Advice to State Department Not to Be Dangerously Ill.

The Hague, April 19, via London, April 21.—United States Ambassador Elkus is seriously ill at Constantinople with spotted typhoid, according to a dispatch from Berlin. The Vossische Zeitung says that a German specialist is assisting the embassy physician.

Abram I. Elkus was appointed ambassador to Turkey by President Wilson last July. Mr. Elkus previously practiced law in New York City and was well known for the prominent part he took in social betterment work. He was counsel for the New York state factory investigation commission and an official of the Hebrew training school for girls. In 1911 he was elected a regent of the University of the State of New York.

Washington, April 21.—Advice to the state department yesterday said Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople is suffering from a light attack of typhoid and that every attention is being given him. The report said Ambassador Elkus had contracted typhoid fever probably while on a visit to soup kitchens. The cases is taking the usual course. Minister Morris at Stockholm telegraphed that the Swedish minister at Constantinople had informed the Swedish foreign office that Ambassador Elkus had "spotted typhoid."

PROSECUTION OF WAR CALLED NECESSARY

Organ of Russian Revolutionary Socialists Says Germany Still Strives for Conquest.

Petrograd, via London, April 20.—The Zemlia Volia, the organ of the revolutionary Socialists, declares that the prosecution of the war is necessary since Germany persists in her plans of conquest. The paper says:

"A peace formula without annexation implies of necessity the restoration of the devastated countries of Belgium, Serbia, Montenegro and Rumania and also the application of the principle of a plebiscite to decide the fate of the people in cases where there is a dispute. Germany still continues to seek conquest and to penetrate further into Russian territory. It is, therefore, necessary to accept the calvary of war to the end."

SPY BILL SIDETRACKED.

Senate Takes Up Conspiracy Measure Instead.

Washington, April 21.—Alarm over the possibility that opposition to the administration's spy and censorship bill might block all other war legislation, caused Senate leaders suddenly to switch their plans yesterday and announce that consideration of the president's selective conspiracy army measure would be shelved in ahead of all other pending legislation.

The Senate had entered on its third day of bitter debate on the measure with influential senators attacking the section which they contended, though aimed ostensibly at hyphens and dangerous agitators, will muzzle every newspaper in the country.

Fear that under the bill newspapers will be unable to criticize any government move in war times—even such an incident as the costly Dardanelles expedition of England—caused much of the Senate discussion. Another clause that brought criticism was that which permits the president to declare food embargoes from any port to any other port.

The House judiciary committee late Thursday finished its drift of the administration spy bill. Chairman Webb was to attack the bill yesterday. It carries perhaps 100 amendments, all or nearly all calculated to soften its effects.

Both minority and majority members of the military affairs committee were engaged yesterday on their reports on the general staff army bill, due for consideration when the House meets again Monday.

ARRAIGN THREE FOR MURDER

16-Year-Old Youth Accused of Striking the Fatal Blow

WIDOW OF VICTIM AND SISTER HELD

All in Pittsfield, Mass., Tragically Were Denied the Right of Bail

Pittsfield, Mass., April 21.—Charged with the murder of her husband, whose decomposed body was found in the barn cellar on the Hewitt farm here Thursday, Mrs. Miles Hewitt was arrested at 2 a. m. yesterday in Springfield, together with her sister, Mrs. Celia Noistering, who was charged with being an accessory after the fact.

Both women were arraigned in the district court here yesterday with Lincoln McKinley Grant, the 16-year-old boy who is also charged with the murder and who, the police say, has confessed the crime.

All were held without bail for the grand jury.

The police declare young Grant admitted he killed Hewitt by striking him on the head with an axe, and that infatuation for Hewitt's wife was the motive for the act. They further charge that Mrs. Hewitt and Grant planned the murder together.

Mrs. Hewitt is charged with first degree murder and with being an accessory before and after the fact.

The farm on which the body was found was formerly owned by Hewitt and is on the northwest side of the city. It was recently rented by Mrs. Hewitt to Armand and Emil Chaffre, who found the body while digging Thursday. They reported their find to the police, and Grant was arrested soon afterward. He had enlisted in the army and was about to be sent to a post.

Hewitt, who was 38 years old, had been missing from home for several months. According to the police, Mrs. Hewitt left home recently, directing that Grant should take charge of the farm and let it as her agent. Mrs. Noistering, the other woman arrested, formerly lived with her at the farm.

The police say Grant has been in court more than once on various charges, one of which was for passing bad checks.

Grant and Mrs. Hewitt were recently acquitted here on a charge of attempting to sell some livestock which was mortgaged property.

Grant's confession, according to the police, was that Hewitt was milking in the barn when he struck him with the axe, and that he afterward buried the body.

The alleged confession led to the arrest of the women, which was made by Inspector McColgan and two other officers who were sent to Springfield for that purpose Thursday evening.

Neal Ball, former Boston big leaguer and of late drifting around minor league circles from east to west, will probably sign a contract to play with New Haven in the near future.



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Yesterday's Scores.

At Boston—Boston-New York, rain. At Cleveland—Detroit 7, Cleveland 4. At Washington—Philadelphia 6, Washington 4 (13 innings). At Chicago—Chicago 5, St. Louis 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	6	2	.750
Boston	5	2	.714
New York	4	2	.667
Cleveland	4	4	.500
St. Louis	4	4	.500
Philadelphia	3	5	.375
Washington	2	5	.286
Detroit	2	6	.250

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Scores.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 3. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 6, Chicago 1. At St. Louis—St. Louis 7, Cincinnati 6. At New York—Boston 4, New York 2 (14 innings).

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	5	2	.714
New York	5	2	.714
St. Louis	6	3	.667
Chicago	5	4	.556
Cincinnati	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	3	4	.429
Pittsburgh	3	7	.300
Brooklyn	1	6	.143

General Sporting Notes.

Connie Mack started right against the Senators. Connie seems to have a hard hitting team and perhaps may show a few of the club owners a thing or two before the season is long under way.

Bigbee of the Pirates looks good.

Winn Noyes with the Athletics is O. K.

With another club he might be a star.

One of the Shannon twins, who was playing with the Boston team on the spring training trip last year, has won a regular berth on the Baltimore team of the International league.

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